

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Charlotte County, Florida****Trend of Fatalities, 2000-2004**

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	39	20	24	19	39
	Alcohol-Related	15	6	7	7	16
	Single Vehicle	11	8	9	11	15
	Non-Junction	18	12	12	11	21
	Intersection	18	6	10	5	15
	Intersection-Related	2	0	2	3	3
	Speeding Involved	6	4	4	1	8
	Pedestrians	1	1	0	4	1
	Pedalcyclists	1	0	2	1	1
	Large Truck Involved	11	2	6	3	7
	Roadway Departure	13	8	13	9	25
	Passenger Car Occupants	25	12	10	7	19
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	8	4	7	2	12
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	0	2	1	2
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	34	16	19	10	33
	Motorcycle Riders	2	3	3	4	4

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2004**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2004	31	11	18	2

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2004**

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2004	4	2	2	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2004

	2004			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	39	26	24.79	40
Alcohol-Related	16	24	10.17	28
Single Vehicle	15	29	9.53	48
Non-Junction	21	32	13.35	44
Intersection	15	15	9.53	13
Intersection-Related	3	23	1.91	21
Speeding Involved	8	23	5.09	24
Pedestrians	1	43	0.64	52
Pedalcyclists	1	23	0.64	28
Large Truck Involved	7	19	4.45	22
Roadway Departure	25	26	15.89	36
Passenger Car Occupants	19	21	12.08	21
Light Truck/Van Occupants	12	22	7.63	35
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	2	14	1.27	21
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	33	23	20.98	29
Motorcycle Riders	4	27	2.54	36

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.